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U.S. Patent No. 5,153,535 to FAIRBANKS et al., issued October 6, 1992;
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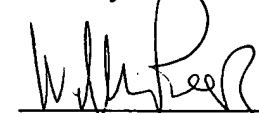
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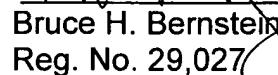
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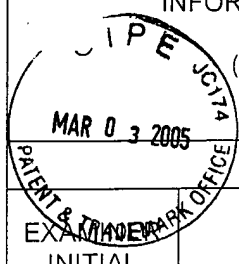
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